

"I have fought as long as I can. To decline would ruin my career."—GOV. ROOSEVELT.

## ALL ARE FOR ROOSEVELT.

State After State Declares for the Rough Rider.

PHILADELPHIA, June 18.—The Maine delegation arrived at the Walton early today.

The delegation is for Long, but if Roosevelt consents to allow his name to go before the convention the Maine men will probably split their vote between the New York Governor and Cornelius N. Bliss. This was the sentiment of the delegation today.

The Kansas delegation arrived today and a number of delegates reported that the sentiment for Vice-President was nearly unanimous for Roosevelt, Dooliver being second choice.

The balance of the West Virginia delegation arrived today. In discussing the question of Vice-President Morris Norbholmer, the probable Chairman of the delegation, said:

"We are for Roosevelt if he can be persuaded to take the nomination. If Roosevelt will consent to take the place there will be no other choice with us."

Virginia's contingent also came in and, like nearly all other delegations, declared itself for Roosevelt if he could be induced to make the race.

Park Avenue, delegate-at-large from the State, said: "We do not think there will be any necessity of considering any second person if Roosevelt will consent to run."

The Massachusetts delegates put in a very busy forenoon. The delegation was split up into small committees for the purpose of lining up the representatives from other States for Secretary Long for the Vice-Presidency. A committee of fifteen called on all of the New England States and found them all loyal to the Massachusetts candidate if Roosevelt doesn't run.

From most of the States outside of New England, however, they could get no positive pledges for their candidate.

The New Hampshire delegation today perfected its organization. Senator Gallinger was elected chairman. The New Hampshire men passed a resolution to stand by Secretary Long for second place on the ticket until he is elected or withdraws.

The representatives from Oklahoma Territory partially organized today. Harry C. Thompson was selected to head the delegation. A poll was taken, and it was found that they will support Dooliver for Vice-President. If Roosevelt shows his name to be presented to the convention then the Territory's vote will go to him.

### ABANDONED HER BOY.

Woman Left Lad in Wood Celler and Police Are Looking for Her.

The police are looking for Mrs. Rose Lang, a homeless woman who deserted her eight-year-old boy Charles on last Saturday. She took him into the wood cellar of Tony Parora, at 301 East Eighty-second street, and asked Parora to mind the boy for a few minutes. He consented, but the woman did not come back.

The boy says he and his mother slept in a cellar and that she drank some of the beer taken care of by the Gerry Society.

### JOHN H. PIPE A BANKRUPT.

Metropolitan Hotel Proprietor Owes \$370,576. While His Assets Are \$100.

John H. Pipe, who was a partner with William P. Petty in conducting the Metropolitan Hotel, and who now lives at 16 West Sixty-sixth street, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court today. Pipe's liabilities are placed at \$370,576.49 and the only assets that appear in the schedules are \$100 worth of wearing apparel. All the liabilities were contracted in connection with Petty in the business of the Metropolitan Hotel in 1899 and 1900. The largest indebtedness is for rent.

The estate of Peter Gilsey, 1183 Broadway, is a creditor for \$139,000. There are no assets of the partnership.

### SANTIAGO'S NEW MAYOR.

Cuban Democrats, Who Elected Pedro Grinart, Celebrate in Yankee Fashion.

SANTIAGO, Cuba, June 18.—There is great enthusiasm here over the election of Pedro Grinart as Mayor. There was a torchlight procession a mile long last night, in which all the bands of the city took part. A large crowd witnessed the parade.

Returns from the rural districts show the success of the National party, except in this city, where the Democrats won the only ticket.

There were interesting contests at Sagua and Holguin, the National candidates winning in both districts. The race throughout the department was tight.

FRANCE'S GREAT FOE DEAD.

General Smorre, Redoubtable in South Africa, Expires at 80.

General Smorre, 80, died at his home in Paris today. He was a French general who fought in the Boer war.



Hanna, the Fly-Paper Man, Catching Flies With His Patent Fly (S) Paper in Fly Time at Philadelphia.

## ROOSEVELT HESITATING, BUT WILL NOT DECLINE.

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be greater if he remains Governor than it will be if he takes the Vice-Presidential nomination. They made their final protest. The Governor did not say "no."

At the conference with Senator Hanna, B. B. Odell and some others the Governor still made no decided answer. The programme at noon is that the New York delegation will endorse Roosevelt.

### A CHANCE FOR ODELL.

If he gets back to his original position the New York delegation will endorse Odell for Vice-President. Hanna and the other leaders are not perfectly satisfied with Odell, but they would take him.

It is the unanimous opinion that Roosevelt will be nominated and that no power on earth can stop it, not even the Governor himself.

The tide is too strong for him. After the conference between Gov. Roosevelt, Mark Hanna and Chairman Odell it was said that it embraced the final ascent of the Rough Rider to the Vice-Presidential nomination on condition that he be permitted to name his own successor as Governor.

Forced into accepting by the Platt-Quay combination against his own wishes, Roosevelt would thus turn the tables on the Toga man and make himself the power in New York State. This move, too, would be the unkindest blow to Timothy L. Woodruff, already foiled in his Vice-Presidential aspirations, and whom Mr. Platt contemplates as a possibility for the next Governor.

It is said that Roosevelt favors Gen. Greene, who is his personal friend, as the next Governor. Senator Hanna, it is stated, advised that the proper course for him to pursue was to issue a statement positively declining the nomination.

"It will be entirely consistent with your previous statements," Senator Hanna is said to have urged, "and will convince people that you have lost none of your determination when you set out to accomplish a result."

"But I have never asserted," answered Gov. Roosevelt, "that I would decline if nominated. I do not want the office, but I am not sure that I can refuse if the convention fails to listen to my protest."

### WHAT LODGE SAID.

"You had better take a razor and cut your throat," suggested Senator Lodge. "To decline the nomination would be equally as fatal."

Congressman Litchner, another of the Governor's personal friends in the Senate, said:



"See the Conquering Hero Comes."

too far to stop it with appeals to delegates. It cannot be stopped in that way. "The only way is for the Governor to say that he will not accept under any circumstances. He would then carry out the general belief that he is a man of his word and of determination."

### URGED TO DECLINE.

Several other friends of the Governor urged him to positively decline, and after finding that he was about equally advised on both sides of the controversy by his close personal friends, he announced that he would come to a decision by 4 o'clock this afternoon.

At 12 noon he was absolutely undecided in the matter, but it was determined that the result lay personally with him, and that it was useless to try to work a change of sentiment in the delegations.

Quigg is to be New York's representative on the Platform Committee. Seneca E. Payne goes on the Credentials Committee. Aldridge, of Rochester, has been selected for the Committee on Rules. Frank S. Witherbee, of Port Henry, will be a member of the committee to notify McKinley of his re-nomination. Gen. Francis S. Greene is to help notify the nominee for Vice-President.

### ROOSEVELT SURE.

Senator Hanna talked with President McKinley over the telephone this forenoon and told him that the nomination of Roosevelt seemed certain.

Senator Platt said to an Evening World correspondent today: "It looks more like Roosevelt every hour."

Gov. Roosevelt himself said: "Everybody says I am to be nominated. I still hope that I will not be called upon to serve. Still, I can't

tell what will happen." Chairman Odell, of the State Committee, said: "It will be Roosevelt to a dead certainty."

One of the most distinguished participants in the conference and dinner at Mr. Grison's, when asked today whether an effort would be made to stem the stampede toward Roosevelt, replied:

"With whom would you stem it? You cannot defeat something with nothing. Gov. Roosevelt's candidacy is something tangible. It no longer can be reckoned with as an ephemeral thing."

In a nutshell, that is the situation as it is regarded by the best political minds in attendance upon the convention.

### HIRED GIRL A THIEF.

Negro Helped Domestic Servant Dispose of Plunder—Both Held in \$5,000 Bail.

Katie Hepper, alias Katie Hook, after Katie Miller, thirty-six years old, of 12 Jones street, who, the police say, has been for nine years in jail at Trenton, Blackwell's Island and Sing Sing, was a prisoner in Centre Street Court today, charged by John O'Sullivan, a dry-goods buyer, of 22 West Seventy-first street, with the theft from his house of jewelry valued at \$500.

With the woman was arraigned by Central Office Detectives Boyle and Charlton, a negro, William Sparrow, thirty-two years old, of 103 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn, charged with acting in concert with the woman, who is white. They were each held by Magistrate Mayo in \$5,000 for the Grand Jury.

### ITALIAN CABINET

HAS RESIGNED.

ROME, June 18.—The Italian Cabinet has resigned.

"It looks more like Roosevelt every hour,"—E. C. Ross.

## ROOSEVELT MUST GO ON THE TICKET.

PLATT—I do not think the Governor would be foolish enough to throw the nomination over his shoulder.

GROSVENOR—That there is a deep plot to drive Roosevelt from the campaign for Governor in New York everybody knows.

PAYNE—Gov. Roosevelt is already nominated for Vice-President.

PENROSE—Roosevelt will accept. He will be nominated by acclamation.

MANLEY—Maine is for Roosevelt.

LAUTERBACH—It's Roosevelt sure. He will take it.

I am but human. To decline would be to ruin my political career.—ROOSEVELT

## ROOSEVELT TELLS WHY HE HESITATES.

PHILADELPHIA, June 18.—After the Dooliver delegation interviewed Gov. Roosevelt today Life Young, who headed the delegation, said:

"He did not say he would and he did not say he wouldn't, and as we came out of his room Mark Hanna was waiting to see him to urge him to refuse the nomination, and Henry Cabot Lodge was waiting to urge him to take it. That is the situation as we left it."

The delegation was composed of Gen. E. Roberts, Director of the Mint; M. D. O'Connell, Solicitor of the Treasury; and Life Young, Prof. Albert O. Shaw, editor of the Review of Reviews, accompanied the party. Prof. Shaw is a warm friend of Gov. Roosevelt.

The interview opened by a statement by Mr. Young to Gov. Roosevelt to the effect that the Dooliver men desired, if possible, to gain some definite idea as to what he desired or intended to do.

"It is easy to say what I desire to do," replied the Governor with a laugh. "I desire to be Governor of New York again, and I do not desire to be nominated for Vice-President of the United States."

"Can you give us an idea of what you intend to do?" asked Mr. Roberts.

"Well," replied the Governor, "these fellows have placed me in an awful position. I want to be Governor of New York for another term at least, and I do not care to be nominated for Vice-President. But they are forcing the matter on me on all sides, and it is going to be very difficult to decline it."

"If I refuse it people will say that 'Roosevelt has a big head and thinks he is too much of a man to be Vice-President.' I do not care to be placed in such a position, for it is not true

that I hold any such opinion of myself."

"Then why, Governor," said Mr. O'Connell, "don't you take the stand taken by Senator Allison when they tried to get him to take the place? He simply said 'I don't want it, gentlemen. I will not take it. Good day.'"

"Possibly the pressure brought to bear upon me is somewhat stronger than placed upon the Senator," replied Roosevelt.

"The situation is right here, Governor," said Mr. Young. "These people who are trying to get you to take this place do not care anything for you. They simply think that you of all men can lend strength to the ticket. They think you can carry the State of New York. They do not care to have you carry it for the Republican party. They know you can carry it either as Governor or as Vice-President. They want you to carry it as Vice-President for their own purposes, and they are unwilling that you should carry it for your own purposes or for the good of the party. Now, if you accept the nomination you are simply playing into their hands and making yourself a party to their schemes."

"Oh, come now, Young, you are too hard," said the Governor with a laugh. "I am not hard at all," replied Mr. Young. "I am simply stating the situation as I know it exists, as you and everybody else knows it exists. These men cannot hurt you, if you decline to take the nomination. No man can hurt Roosevelt says Roosevelt himself."

"Well, gentlemen," said the Governor, "I have said all that I can say at the present time. Mr. Hanna and a number of other gentlemen are waiting to see me, and I will be glad to see you all at any time."

"Then you cannot give us any positive assurance at this time as to what you will do?" asked Mr. O'Connell.

"I have said all that I can say at the present time," was the reply, and the committee left without securing any more definite assurance than they possessed when they entered the Governor's room.

## HANNA TAKES COUNSEL TO DOWN ROOSEVELT.

PHILADELPHIA, June 18.—A conference was held in Senator Hanna's room this afternoon. Senators Allison, Scott and Carter, Wayne MacVeagh and Secretary Dick were present.

The principal point under discussion was whether a fight should be made to prevent the nomination of Roosevelt. The policy of such a movement, in the face of the demonstration which has developed, is questioned, and there is yet the great difficulty of finding a suitable candidate.

Sensor Hanna told the gentlemen that he thought Roosevelt ought to put an end to the matter. In the course of the conversation it developed that Mr. Hanna had been to Roosevelt some time ago and asked him to become a candidate.

"Gov. Roosevelt, it is understood, declared then he would not accept if nominated. Senator Hanna thinks Roosevelt should make that declaration public now in order to relieve the embarrassment that has been caused by the strenuous effort being made to nominate him."

Hanna acknowledged that there was no candidate in sight, but thought the matter might be settled in the convention if the Roosevelt stampede could be checked.

His name will be presented by J. Hampton Hoge of Roanoke. The understanding is that West Virginia also will throw her twelve votes to Senator Scott, notwithstanding the fact that personally Mr. Scott has declared for his colleague, Senator Stephen B. Elkins.

## SENATOR SCOTT IS THE LATEST CANDIDATE.

PHILADELPHIA, June 18.—The latest candidate for Vice-President is Senator N. B. Scott, of West Virginia. Senator Scott was brought out to the Virginia delegation, which decided today to give him the support of her twenty votes in the convention.

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Small-pox in Jersey City.

Pullman Porter Stricken and Is Sent to Snake Hill.

Robert Bonner's Son Got \$10,000 Each Time, 'Tis Said.

There'll be a lively fight. Dooliver can't be brushed aside by a dictator.—GROSVENOR.

No matter what happens, the New York delegation will not endorse him.—Hanna.

French Steamer Disabled.

LONDON, June 18.—The French steamer Burgundia, Capt. Buhe, from New Orleans for Marseille, before reported arrived at Paris May 18, with machinery disabled, was reported yesterday to have arrived at Oltener in a few days.

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DESERTED SILK-CLAD BABY.

Pretty wee girl found on Mrs. Fleischer by Well-Dressed "Jonathan Cobb."

A pretty three-week-old girl baby was turned over to the authorities at Bellevue Hospital this afternoon by Mrs. Fleischer, of 116 Lewis street.

Mrs. Fleischer said the baby had been left with her a few days ago by a well-dressed man who gave his name as Jonathan Cobb. He said he had a brother at 1115 Madison avenue, and his wife was 21 at St. Martin's Hospital, Holoken. He offered \$2 a month to Mrs. Fleischer to care for the child.

The stranger went out to cash a check, he said, and did not return.

The child was dressed in silk clothing. On her night-dress was marked "No. 6 St. Anne's Hospital."

The man gave false address.

Baby Boy on the Hoop.

A baby boy six weeks old was found by John H. Hoge on the road, in Coney Island, and brought to the hospital.

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